

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Management information is read from an information storage medium having the management information recorded thereon, the
5 management information including track number information imparted to at least one track and group management information for managing as selective recording information one or a plurality of tracks as one group. Judgment is then made upon whether the group management information is included in that management information. A display mode is changed
10 depending on a case where the group management information is recorded and a case where it is not recorded, and it is then displayed in a displaying device.